

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)**

Applicant(s): Marietta B. Helmeke et al.

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Patricia A. Short

Group Art Unit

1712

Invention: **HOT MELT MOISTURE CURE POLYURETHANE ADHESIVE WITH WIDE RANGE OF OPEN TIME****TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed on December 5, 2002,  
Applicants respectfully request entry of the following remarks into the file of the above-  
identified application.

**REMARKS**

Claims 1- 29 are in the case.

Applicants respectfully request favorable reconsideration of the subject  
application in light of the following remarks.

**I. Rejection of Claims 1-29 Under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph**

Claims 1-29 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph as allegedly  
being indefinite regarding a thermoplastic polyurethane in claim 1. The Office Action  
questions whether this thermoplastic polyurethane is a polyol.

Applicants submit that the thermoplastic polyurethane (d) in claim 1 is a polyol.  
An exemplified thermoplastic polyurethane is commercially available under the